

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Post-secondary courses have been offered on the Lake Traverse Reservation since 1971; and from 1977 to 1980, the Sisseton-Wahpeton College Center was affiliated with the University of Minnesota-Morris; and,

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council of the Sisseton-Wahpeton Sioux Tribe granted a chapter to the Sisseton-Wahpeton Community College on August 7, 1979; and,

WHEREAS, In August of 1984, Sisseton-Wahpeton Community College was granted candidacy status by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Institutions of Higher Education; and,

WHEREAS, Sisseton-Wahpeton Community College is a tribal effort to meet the unique post-secondary educational needs of the communities within or near the original boundaries of the Lake Traverse Reservation; and,

WHEREAS, June 13 will be the fifth annual graduating ceremonies, with 14 women and 5 men graduating; and also the college will be conferring its first honorary degree;

WHEREAS, It is fitting and appropriate that the citizens of South Dakota commemorate this momentous occasion:

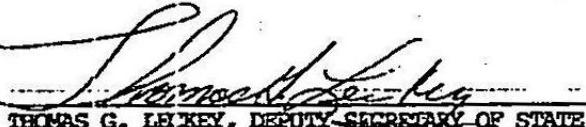
NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 20, 1987, as

#### SISSETON-WAHPETON COMMUNITY COLLEGE DAY

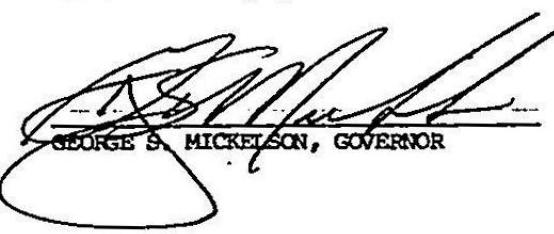
in South Dakota.



ATTEST:

  
THOMAS G. LEKEY, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Governor's Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twelfth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Seven

  
GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR